# Frequently Asked Questions During COVID-19 Suspended Services: Jury Service Procedures During Emergency Conditions

All San Diego Superior Court locations will be closed to the public through April 30, 2020, except as to those matters listed in the General Orders of the Presiding Department, Order Nos. 031820-34, 031920-35, 032420-36 and 040220-39.

All Superior Court jury trials in the County of San Diego are suspended and continued through Friday, May 22, 2020.

#### Q: I've been summoned for jury duty, what do I do?

A: All jurors summoned for the dates March 16, 2020, to May 22, 2020, are not to report to the courthouse. You have fulfilled your service. Jurors summoned past May 23, 2020, are to monitor the Court's website for additional information.

## Q: What if I originally had jury service during the affected date range (March 12, 2020, to May 22, 2020), but I deferred it to a later date?

A: If you deferred your jury service in that timeframe, you will receive new jury summons for a later date. Jurors summoned past May 23, 2020, are to monitor the Court's website for additional information.

### Q: Why will there be no jury trials through May 22, 2020?

A: Pursuant to the Statewide Order by Hon. Tani G. Cantil-Sakauye, issued March 23, 2020, all scheduled jury trials are hereby suspended and will be continued for a period of at least sixty (60) days. For additional information on jury trial suspensions, please refer to a copy of Hon. Tani G. Cantil-Sakauye's order posted on this Court's website.

### Q: Where can I find more information?

A: The phone number for the 24-hour automated system is 619-844-2800. For more information on jury service, please click <a href="here">here</a>. For typical jury service FAQs, please click <a href="here">here</a>.

Please refer to General Order 040220-39 and the Court's website (<u>www.sdcourt.ca.gov</u>) for up-to-date information.